

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:	Confirmation No.: 7469
MADGE <i>et al.</i>	Art Unit: 1621
Appl. No.: 10/659,178	Examiner: Valenrod, Y.
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For: <b>Boronic Acid Salts</b>	

**Reply To Office Action Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.111**

*Mail Stop Amendment*

Commissioner for Patents  
PO Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In reply to the Office Action mailed January 20, 2010 ("the Office Action"), Applicants provide the following Remarks, which begin on page 2 of this paper.

It is not believed that extensions of time or fees for net addition of claims are required beyond those that may otherwise be provided for in documents accompanying this paper. However, if additional extensions of time are necessary to prevent abandonment of this application, then such extensions of time are hereby petitioned for under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), and any fees required therefor (including fees for net addition of claims) are hereby authorized to be charged to our Deposit Account No. 19-0036.